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# PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76678

Hiroshi HIGUCHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/635,603

Group Art Unit: 3711

Confirmation No.: 9575

Examiner: Raeann GORDON

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For: MULTI-PIECE SOLID GOLF BALL

### EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For					
All Claims	90	20	=	70	X	\$18.00	= \$1260.00
Independent	2	3	=		X	\$86.00	= \$.00
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A check for the statutory fee of \$1260.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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